



Docket No.: 043920-0032

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Fernando L. ALVARADO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 5984  
Application No.: 09/522,709 : Group Art Unit: 3693  
Filed: March 10, 2000 : Examiner: James M. Alpert

For: METHOD FOR MANAGING RISK IN MARKETS RELATED TO COMMODITIES  
DELIVERED OVER A NETWORK

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2006, now due to expire September 25, 2006, be extended for Four month(s) and set to expire on January 25, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of \$1590.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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